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Title : METHOD OF INSTALLING AN EDGE PIECE ON A BATTERY PLATE  
AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING SAME

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-entitled application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.